

FAKE EXPOSED.

John Rhea Got Eggs at Morgantown, Instead of Stones.

A special to the Louisville Dispatch says: Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 17.—The truth about the attempted "assassination" of John Rhea at Morgantown is beginning to come out. The story was not credited at all by the citizens of Morgantown at first. They believed that it was entirely a fiction of Mr. Rhea's lively imagination. But it seems that the joke was too good to be kept by one of the two men who knew the truth. The man who did not tell it was John Rhea. The man who did was Dan Kimbro, who drove the buggy for Mr. Rhea on that memorable night. The secret was kept until a day or two ago. Finally Kimbro, while being questioned, was unable to hold in any longer. When a man, so the story runs, according to a well known Butler county man now in Frankfort, asked him if he saw any stones, he broke into a hearty laugh. The rest of the story may be told in the man's own words:

"No, I didn't see any stones, but I saw an almighty lot of eggs. Mr. Rhea caught one or two of them, but he begged me so hard not to give him away that I haven't done it until now. And say maybe he didn't make me drive down hill."

"Didn't he draw his pistol at all?"

"Oh yes, when we got to the foot of the hill."

"The Republicans of course, condemn even the egg-throwing. It was the act of irresponsible persons, but was not nearly so great an insult as Rhea's effrontery in going to the home of Gov. Taylor and Holland Whitaker and denouncing them before their own friends and relatives. He even said in his speech that Taylor did not offer a cent of reward, apparently trusting that his hearers had failed to read the papers of last January when Gov. Taylor offered \$500 out of his own pocket for the arrest and conviction of Goebel's slayer."

"You can put it down as a 'cinch' that Mr. Rhea's trip to Morgantown has had a directly antagonistic effect. Whitaker's friends and relatives in that county are legion, and all of his near relatives have been life long Democrats. Whitaker's reputation there has always been that of a peaceable and harmless citizen who had everybody's good will. Mr. Rhea's speech won over no Republicans, and it lost several for the Democrats."

THE MOUNTAIN PEOPLE AROUSED.

Tired of Being Slandered by Beckhams, They'll Give Yerkes 25,000 Majority.

London, Ky., Sept. 18.—The people of the mountains of Kentucky have been called without exception "Red-handed mountaineers, cut-throats; highway-men, robbers, thieves, murderers and heathens" by the Goebelites and Beckhamites and their official organs, the Courier-Journal and the Times. A few days ago Charles K. Wheeler, Congressman from the First district, speaking for Mr. Beckham, said "He drew the line at the foot of the mountains in Kentucky, when speaking of Democrats; that the mountaineers were not Kentuckians; they did not think as they thought, did not act as they did, and he believed that when they died they would not

go to the same place as they did."

Jo Blackburn, who is probably doing more in the management of Beckham's campaign than any other man, and steering the Goebel-Beckham machine, said a few days ago at the Capital Hotel in Frankfort, when talking against a fair election law to the Democratic members of the State Legislature, "That if he had his way about the matter, he would explode a dynamite bomb under the Eleventh district, that would blow it to Hades."

The slanderous language applied to the people of the mountains of Kentucky by the managers of the Beckham campaign does not even exclude Democrats and their families. But they are denied the title "Kentuckian," and Jo Blackburn would hurl the Democrats who supported Goebel into Hades without a moment's warning.

Democrats here are beginning to open their eyes and see the corruption of the party they have been affiliating with, and if the Eleventh District gives Yerkes 25,000 majority it will be no surprise here.

Dave Found It Cold.

Elizabethtown, Ky., Sept. 18.—The Goebelites are sad and sore in this locality just now. The immense crowd that greeted Mr. Yerkes here Saturday has proved a source of sorrow to the new democracy, and the "frost" attending Dave Smith's intended rally here yesterday has further depressed them.

This was to have been a big rally, but when Dave Smith mounted the rostrum yesterday afternoon he faced one of the smallest audiences imaginable. He was listened to by an audience of ninety-seven people, including Republicans and Brown Democrats.

No doubt, the gang will report a "large crowd and much enthusiasm," but the fact remains that the "rally" was a hopeless failure, both in numbers and interest. The local workers had gotten unceasing in their efforts to get a crowd, and yesterday being County Court Day they expected a much larger attendance. Congressman Smith made a characteristic speech, which elicited no applause.

Shooting at Dixon.

Dixon, Ky., Sept. 16.—Robert Gibson was shot by Wash Herron this evening and died in two hours. Herron rode up to Bury Nall's house and told him he had killed Gibson, shooting him five times, and that Nall would find Gibson in a field near town. When the doctor arrived Gibson was dying and a revolver with one empty chamber was lying near him. Five bullets struck him, one in his left temple and four in his left side, all of which passed through. Herron is still at large.

Case Compromised.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 18.—The sensational damage suit of Mrs. Mary Darnaby Muir against Mrs. Mary E. Muir, mother of her husband, W. T. Muir, has been compromised by the defendant paying \$5,000. The damages asked was \$10,000. Last week Judge Parker granted Mrs. Mary Darnaby Muir a divorce from W. T. Muir, with \$5,000 alimony. Mrs. Muir sued her mother-in-law for alienating the affections of her husband.

ELDER I. H. TEEL

Writes a Friendly Letter to The Bee and Its Many Home Readers.

DEEP SYMPATHY IN OUR AFFAIRS.

DEAR BEE: Your new columns are among the most welcome visitors to our home. In fact your power is almost sufficient to cause domestic trouble at our home. Mrs. Teel is careful to get you first and keeps you long enough to read general news, editorial, "Locomotive Blasts," "Down in the Mines," advertisements and all. We think of you as edited by a friend; set in type by friends; published by friends; mailed by friends; and one that tells us of our friends. As we scan your new columns weekly, our hearts are made sad and joyous in turn. With great regret we learn of the burning of your school building, but happy to know that it is to be supplanted by a new modern

ATTEMPTING THE IMPOSSIBLE.



A LATTER DAY DON QUIXOTE.

DEMOCRATIC, COMPARED WITH REPUBLICAN PROSPERITY.

Illustrated by Hopkins County Coal Interests.

		Percentage of Increase.
In 1892—The Last Year of President Harrison's Administration,		
Hopkins County Produced.....	736,765 Tons	
In 1893—The First Year of Cleveland's Administration,		
Hopkins County Produced.....	761,074 Tons	3 ¹ / ₃ Per Cent. Over 1892. In 1 Year.
In 1896—The Last Year of Cleveland's Administration,		
Hopkins County Produced.....	779,181 Tons	5 ³ / ₄ Per Cent. Over 1892. In 4 Years.
In 1897—The First Year of McKinley's Administration,		
Hopkins County Produced.....	961,412 Tons	23 ¹ / ₂ Per Cent. Over 1896. In 1 Year.
In 1899—The Third Year of Republican Rule,		
Hopkins County Produced.....	1,265,706 Tons	62 ¹ / ₂ Per Cent. Over 1896. In 3 Years.

A Democratic Increase in four years of 5 3-4 per cent.

A Republican Increase in three years of 62 1-2 per cent.

McKINLEY AND YERKES CLUB

Organized at St. Charles With a Large Membership.

ST. CHARLES, Ky., Sept. 18. Charles Flake, who is quite sick, is thought to be some better.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Vick, on September 16, a baby girl. Elder Hogard, of the Methodist Church, preached here on Sunday at 11 a. m. and at night.

Mr. J. V. McEuen and Miss Phronia Murphy went to Louisville last Monday to buy goods for the St. Bernard Store.

Miss Minnie Henderson has returned from a visit to Halesy and Dawson Springs.

A McKinley and Yerkes Club of seventy-eight members was organized here last Monday night with the following officers: D. A. McGregor, President; W. E. Unstead, Vice President; C. B. Jenkins, Secretary; and James H. Fox, Treasurer. Messrs. F. V. Zimmer and T. E. Finley, of Madisonville, and Letcher R. Fox, of St. Charles, were the speakers of the occasion. The audience, which was large and nearly all voters, listened with interest to the speakers who were frequently applauded. The club will meet every Monday night and promises to do good work in this locality. The Republicans here mean business.

Henry West and family are preparing to move to Ohio, where they will make their future home. We regret to give them up.

Hecla Items.

Mrs. Andy Sisk and two sons returned last Wednesday from a visit to her mother, near St. Charles.

Miss Francis Young attended the Teachers' Association at Southard Schoolhouse last Friday.

John Wilson and wife, of Christian county, are visiting at Andy Wilson's.

Tramps have been troubling the schoolhouse here and doing some damage. Some one was cruel enough to carry off the stovepipe.

Mrs. J. F. Story and grand-daughters, Margaret and Ruth Lamb, spent Saturday and Sunday at J. B. Lindle's.

Misses Annie Covell and Ethel Evans gave Hecla a call last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Lanier and Mr. and Mrs. Bligh have moved to Earlinton.

David Nunnally has moved to the house lately occupied by Mr. Bligh. Miss Ida Brown, of Earlinton, called at Mr. Andy Wilson's Monday.

Mrs. Dr. Lamb passed through Hecla Monday and called at J. B. Lindle's. She had been to Halesy to visit her sister, Mrs. Belle Story.

Neco Happenings.

Joe Crow and Charlie Morton, both colored, engaged in a difficulty. Crow drew his little pop and opened fire, whereupon Morton fled, with Crow in hot pursuit. Being as he went. After emptying his pistol, he caught Crow and beat him over the head with it, and then made him wash his face and get down on his knees and beg for his life.

Mrs. Lamb and children left Saturday morning for a visit of several days to Madisonville, Halesy, Dawson and other points.

A. D. Melton bought the Tom

Mills old store house and has been engaged in removing it. He has worked four days with a crew of hands, and has succeeded in moving it about six feet. Why he does not get along faster we cannot tell, as he has the advice of every loafer in town and some from the country.

Rev. C. C. Caperton, D. D., of the Baptist church, preached at the M. E. Church, Friday night.

Ed Hodge, of Henderson, came up Monday and remained two or three days.

Several carpenters from Henderson are here at the new tobacco factory. They are boarding at the Cox House.

Rev. Whittinghill, of Madisonville, spent Friday night in Neco, and left Saturday morning for Corinth.

Dr. Kennedy, of Morganfield, was here Saturday.

The little two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Knox died very suddenly last Friday. She ate her breakfast as usual and died before dinner time.

We were pained to learn of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hartman. They have our sympathy in their sad bereavement.

Mark Corburn who has been sick for two months is no better.

Dan Roland's son, who has been very low with typhoid fever, is improving.

The nomination of Lynch at Henderson gave general satisfaction to the Republicans, but the Democrats are very much dissatisfied, and say we have made a great mistake, and predict his defeat by ten thousand votes.

The Democrats claim the election of Beckham by twenty-five thousand majority, and will not admit McKinley will carry a single State. For ourselves we do not claim to know how the general election will go, but there has been no change so far as we are personally acquainted, from Mr. McKinley to Bryan. Moreover Yerkes will get more votes in South Neco than Taylor did, and he carried the district by a small majority. The Republicans are fully aroused and will give the best fight that is in them.

Shaft Items.

Philip McMann and family visited the family of W. D. Caviness Sunday.

W. C. Wilson and wife, of Morgans Gap, spent last Sunday with the family of Will Rayburn.

Tillie Gardner is on the sick list. Green Clark and wife were in Morgans Gap Monday afternoon.

Mamie, the little daughter of Joe Brown, is better at this writing. Joe Brown was in Mannington last Saturday on business.

J. T. McGregor and family spent Sunday with relatives at Barnsley.

South Neco, who has been sick for several months, is no better. We are glad to note that Albert Robertson who was hurt in the mines several months ago, is able to go on duty as night watchman at the shaft.

George Hawkins, of Webster county, visited the family of J. C. Sharp Friday.

John Wyatt spent last Sunday in Barnsley.

Miss Lou Bascom, of Hecla, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Frank Wyatt.

JOLLIE.

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Christianity Yours,
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Subscribe for THE BEE.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS.

Operator Willingham took a short vacation this week.

T. C. Martin, formerly agent at Nortonville, is now operator at this place.

President Ingalls, of the Big Four railroad, is still in favor of the sound money policy advocated by the McKinley administration and will therefore work and vote accordingly.

The loss to railroad on account of the strike east will be heavy at present, but when settled they will be able to recover some of the loss by the great rush that will necessarily follow.

Thos. Smith, who formerly worked in the yard here as car repairer, has lost the use of one of his arms. He went to bed one night and the next morning he was unable to raise it and such has been his condition since.

The St. Louis excursion train was rather poorly patronized. The fact is the colored people are not as a general thing long distance riders.

Another engine was retired by foreman O'Brien and assistants the past week. Just give them the material and they will be manufacturing engines here soon.

The many friends of conductor

PERSONAL.

Miss Lydia Dean has been quite ill for several days.

Miss Flossie Adams is the guest of Miss Kate Robinson.

Jerrold Jonson and Joe Mothershead are in Louisville this week.

Miss Frankie Stokes spent Sunday with relatives in Crofton.

Dr. James Scull and Miss Georgia Wyatt were in Madisonville Saturday afternoon.

Rev. Alex McChord filled his appointment at the Missionary Baptist Church Sunday.

Thomas Wooten, who has been on the sick list for some time, is able to be on the streets again.

Rev. R. M. Wheat will leave Earlington to visit to his parents in Allegheny, after which he will attend the annual session of his conference at Elizabethtown.

Bob Ferguson of Mortons Gap, was in the city Monday on business.

Frank Bash left Tuesday for Boston where he will attend school.

Mr. Cain of Mortons Gap, was in the city on business Monday.

Mrs. J. E. W. has been on the sick list for several days.

Miss Flossie Orr, of Henderson, is the guest of the family of her brother, E. M. Orr, in Earlington.

Mrs. R. V. Davis and daughter, Miss Charlie, are visiting relatives in Evansville.

E. G. McLeod, of Madisonville, was in the city Tuesday morning.

Miss Lizzie Bourland, of Louisville, who has been spending the summer with friends near Grapevine, has been visiting friends here the past few days.

Mrs. N. I. Toombs, returned Saturday evening from a visit to friends at Slaughterville.

Miss Celeste A. Moore visited friends in Madisonville Tuesday night.

Miss Ella Edmonson was in Madisonville shopping Tuesday.

Ed Stoddish spent several days last week in Morganfield.

Misses Adelle Arnold and Kate Barnett, of Madisonville, visited the family of Lee Cozart last week.

Mrs. Ed L. Wise spent yesterday with relatives in Earlington.

Mrs. E. R. McEuen left Monday for a visit of two weeks with relatives in Louisville.

From Mortons Gap.

Charles Jackson and wife, of Hopkinsville, are visiting relatives here.

C. H. Harris was in Hopkinsville Friday.

Mrs. Riley Coyle and children visited here Sunday.

Messdames M. Cain and A. R. O'Bannon have been very sick, but are improving.

Leonard Smith is very low with typhoid fever.

The ladies of the Baptist church will give an entertainment October 1 for the benefit of the church.

A party composed of Misses Brown, Clara and Annie Grasty, Miffie Ferguson and Rosie Hall and Will Kimmons, Bob Pirt and Gene Coenen went through the mines one night last week.

Lillie Edwards, oldest daughter of A. J. Edwards, died Thursday and was buried at Flat Creek Friday. The many friends of the family sympathize with them in their sad hour. Lillie was a sweet and dutiful child and beloved by all who knew her.

The U. M. W. had a speaking at

Thomas Browning has pleased to know he was not so badly hurt as at first reported, and at this writing it is said the doctors now entertain strong hopes of being able to save his foot.

One of the first, as well as a necessary step towards the erection of a building is the location of the foundation and that much has been accomplished at this place in the direction of a new depot.

Lucius Burns has written to James Sullivan, formerly supervisor on the Henderson division, for a position as track foreman, and he expects a favorable reply soon.

General Manager Evans, accompanied by Supt. Logsdan made a week over the Henderson division last week.

Since the pay car passed south this week, bills of the denomination of fifty and one hundred dollars have been in circulation here, yet some men still curse the railroads.

Burns says that there is a probability that ticket agent, Mann, at Henderson will soon take unto himself a better half.

Business on this division, we are informed, shows some sign of improvement.

"The youngest child of freeman Elmo Shaver, was severely injured by the whopping cough this week.

Oak Hill last week. Barnsley and Mortons Gap were represented; also Madisonville, by Agitator Tate. It is supposed that after the speaking they intended to enjoy the remainder of the day hunting, as they were well armed with Winchester and shot guns, and as they returned without any game they had poor success.

This is the only conclusion at which we can arrive for them being armed, as we have heard of no one being killed at Oak Hill and the mines are running every day. This old shot gun bluff won't always work.

Does it Pay to Buy Cheap.

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more serious and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate. Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the only remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, **SCOTT'S EMULSION**. It not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but always inflammation, causes easy expectoration gives a good night's rest, and cures the patient with a bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. For sale by dealers in all civilized countries.

Miss Susan E. Atkinson left for Swarthmore College, Pennsylvania, Tuesday morning, to resume her studies. She was accompanied part way by her father, Geo. C. Atkinson.

Husband.

If you have a weak, pious, debilitated wife, do not let her be so much disturbed with her kind treatment, loving words and Morley's Liver and Kidney Cordial to regulate, strengthen her system, and our word for it she will soon be your healthy, happy best half. Price 15c. Sold by agents in every town and by Campbell & Co.

Farewell Services.

A good-sized audience attended the farewell services at the M. E. Church, South last Sunday night. Pastor Wheat presided his farewell sermon. The Louisville Conference will convene at Elizabethtown next Wednesday. It is not known who will be the new pastor at this place, but it is certain that he will be an active man.

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DOWN THE MINES.

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Not only has the St. Bernard Coal Company established both a State and National reputation as to the superior quality of their coal, but the prospects are bright for that reputation to become world-wide.

For here comes Paul Christenson, of Copenhagen, Denmark, by letter earnestly soliciting the agency for St. Bernard coal. For sometime past, inquiries have been made of the St. Bernard Coal Company by persons in the old country asking for terms.

A business man writing to the Manufacturers' Record takes this view of the coming fall election: "Joseph C. Henvis, general manager National Pancoast Ventilator Co., Inc., Philadelphia, Pa.: 'Never in the history of our company received as many orders as we have up to the present time, both for present and future delivery, and we certainly think that the outlook for future business is very fine, notwithstanding the fact that the presidential campaign is now on. We do not think there ever was a time that so many people were free to leave home for a vacation and had as much money to spend as they now have. The fact that business is good is an evidence that the majority of the thinking people have confidence in the present administration and re-election of McKinley.'

We certainly think, and think it is the opinion of the business men of the country, that the election of Bryan at this time would certainly be a calamity, and find that the cry 'imperialism' has little foundation, except with a large number of persons who are not now officeholders, but hope to be should there be a change in the administration.

Business men are not small business men in politics, we think it is well for the thinking business men to use their influence and continue the present prosperity. I looked for as good or better conditions for 1900. It is not quite up to expectations so far this year, owing probably to the presidential election and the high price of building material. McKinley's election will insure continued prosperity."

An Illinois coal mine and the mine owner's daughter was the stake in a novel coal digging contest a fortnight ago.

It was a romantic fight for love, a struggle of fact and begrimed men looked anything but romantic while at their task.

Willis V. Hill, the successful man, is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. His opponent was Andrew, a hardy miner known as "Big Jim" among the miners.

The father-in-law who figured in this affair of hearts is Robert Smith, one of the wealthiest men in the southern part of St. Clair County, Illinois. This bride, Miss Nona Smith, was the prize that Hill won as the victor in a contest with pick and shovel.

And the late father ceased for the lack of words.

Miss Nona told Hill sadly what her father had said. Hill laughed. "So you can't work," he said, "and he? All right. We'll fool him," and he sought Mr. Smith.

So you can't work, you think of a match coal-digging contest between Big Jim Andrews and myself? he asked. If I will you will give me your daughter?"

Mr. Smith was surprised and then answered: "You dig more coal than Big Jim."

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Common Sense Talk with Women

Labor Legislation.

Speaking of laws passed or attempted to be passed in behalf of union labor and against the interests of non-union labor, the St. Louis Inter-State manufacturer has this to say:

"Just why legislators should be called upon to pass laws in behalf of union labor and against labor not belonging to unions is one of the puzzles to the uninitiated. All such laws are unjust. They are unconstitutional. They are un-American and are passed through a spirit of fear or a spirit of demagoguery. All such laws are unnecessary. If the members of a labor union cannot compete in the markets of the world with those who are not members of unions, they should all submit to that inexorable law, the survival of the fittest. Competition is the spirit of Americanism. Anything that has a tendency to kill competition is un-American. So far as the trust question is concerned, there is as great a trust in labor circles to-day as there is in the circles of capital. Any combination to control prices is, in the parlance of the day a trust. It does not make any difference whether the commodity upon which the price is controlled is labor or products. It is just as reasonable to expect a law to be passed that none but Democrats be employed; that none but Presbyterians be employed; that none but red-headed men be employed; that none but black-eyed men be employed on public work as it is to pass a law that none but union labor be employed. All such laws are dangerous. They should be avoided, and if passed into laws should be carried to the highest court of resort and stricken from the statute books of any city or state or country.

Public School.

The new school buildings here and are being rapidly put in position to assemble light. The windows to supply additional light to the school children are being put in, and the house will be ready for occupancy before the week ends. The public school, which has been postponed two weeks on account of these things, will certainly begin next Monday. Teachers and pupils are impatient at the necessary delay. The new desks are all single, modern school desks.

Elgie Umstead left last night for New York, where he will finish his course in engineering.

GALVESTON'S GRATITUDE.

Mayor Jones Expresses It in a Most Courteously Worded Dispatch to the President.

Washington, Sept. 18.—The following dispatch has been received at the White House from Mayor Jones, of Galveston, addressed to the president:

"The people of Galveston, through me, desire to tender their sincere thanks for the great interest you and the United States government through you, have manifested in their behalf in their hour of trial. While their sufferings are indescribable, yet they have ever in their minds the great government which never fails to respond to the distress of its citizens, and they also know that at the head of that government is an upright, Christian gentleman, whose every effort is to relieve the distressed with all the means and power at his command."

BLACK PARTY'S TRIUMPH.

Indications Show that It Bodes Ill for the Future Peace of the Island of Cuba.

Santiago De Cuba, Sept. 18.—The elections for delegates to the constitutional convention have resulted in favor of the black party throughout this entire province, and the whites now openly declare themselves to be unsuccessful. A few thousand colored men, who had worked themselves up almost to a frenzy and wearing badges containing a skull and cross-bones, signifying death to the republican party, paraded through the principal streets of the city, Monday night, carrying tallow candles and torches. A most unusual scene of republican party was held and was attended by about a thousand colored persons. The white people are cautious and are avoiding scenes.

BON.WM. J. BRYAN IN KANSAS.

A State Breakfast Followed by Two Speeches at Fort Scott, Kan.

Fort Scott, Kan., Sept. 18.—Hon. W. J. Bryan was the guest of honor at a state breakfast given by Mayor Goodlander at the Goodlander hotel. Later, at Convention hall, he began the first of two speeches made in this city. The first speech was comparatively brief, the meeting at the hall being adjourned to the public square in order to afford opportunity to the larger crowd assembled there to hear the candidate.

INDISPENSABLE CONDITIONS.

The Delivering Up of Those Responsible for the Chinese Outrages to be Demanded.

Berlin, Sept. 18.—The foreign office sent a circular note to all the powers announcing that the German government considers that an indispensable precondition of the beginning of peace negotiations with China is the delivering up of those who were responsible for the outrages.

Cincinnati's Fall Festival.

Cincinnati, Sept. 17.—The Cincinnati fall festival begins here Wednesday and continues to the end of next week. It will include all the displays of former exhibitions and many new features. The parade on the opening day will surpass in novelties the former street demonstrations under the order of Cincinnati. There are carnivals and a special feature for each of the ten days, together with the concerts and electrical and other displays at night.

Louisville's Second Carnival.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 17.—Louisville's second fall carnival and industrial exhibition will begin to-day and continue two weeks. The feature will be a floral parade seven miles in length which will formally inaugurate the carnival and a street fair two miles long.

On Afro-American day the orator will be Booker T. Washington. There will be special attractions for each day.

Cottonseed Oil Factory Burned.

Houston, Tex., Sept. 17.—The Merchants' and Planters' Oil Co., one of the largest cottonseed oil manufacturing and refining companies in the south, was yesterday destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at between \$200,000 and \$400,000; insurance, \$250,000. Three hundred and fifty men will be thrown out of employment.

Approaching the End.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 17.—Gen. John A. McClelland is continually growing weaker. This was the statement given out last night by Dr. Bowcock, who had been at his bedside several hours. It is the opinion of the attending physician that the general can not survive many hours.

In the Nick of Time.

New York, Sept. 15.—Just after the city marshal was serving Miss Georgiana Simonsop, a dressmaker of this city, with expropriation proceedings, an attorney who had been seeking her for several days, called on her and notified her that she was heir to \$100,000.

Charged with Double Murder.

St. Louis City, Ill., Sept. 15.—Frank King and Henry Wilmer, two well-known young men near Whittemore, have been arrested charged with the murder of James Graham and Andrew Carlsquist, whose bodies were found on the truck near Section last week.

Prince Albert of Saxony Killed.

Dresden, Sept. 17.—Prince Albert of Saxony was killed in a carriage accident yesterday at Wolken, a short distance from Dresden.

THE BIG STRIKE IS ON.

While Not Unanimous Its Extent Amounts to a Practical Tie-Up.

THE MINERS EXPRESS CONFIDENCE.

Pump Hands and Mule Feeders are Requested to Remain at Their Posts the Latter as Long Only as the Mules are Not Employed to Draw Coal.

Scranton, Pa., Sept. 18.—Pennsylvania's great strike of anthracite miners is now officially under way. Morning found the many thousands of mine workers in the Lackawanna and Wyoming valleys ready for the strike with the operators, and when the score of breaker whistles sounded for the day not enough men and boys rallied at any one place to warrant the beginning of work.

Several of the washeries are operating but the force of workmen is small. Yet these washeries are considered so important in the quantity of fuel they can turn out from the great piles of cumin refuse, that they will be shut down if it is declared, even if the assistance of the railroads is necessary.

Pump Men Want to Go Out.

The pump runners have been ordered by National Board Member Doherty to remain at work, so that there will be no occasion for accumulating in the mines. He has also directed that the men who feed the mules in the mine barns keep on their jobs, but only so long as the mules are not used to draw coal. Crowds of men fill headquarters and streets, showing how complete the strike is.

A MISSING MINISTER.

Rev. C. L. Smith, of Kirkwood, Mo., Missing from His Home for a Week.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—Rev. C. L. Smith, for the past six years pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church south in Kirkwood, has been absent from home for over a week, and his absence is causing considerable anxiety to his son and his close friends and members of his congregation, who hold him in love and esteem. Dr. Smith has been very prominent in the Southern Methodist church for many years, and for seven or eight years has been secretary of the St. Louis conference. That body will meet at St. John's church in this city to-morrow, and Dr. Smith's absence at this time has naturally caused special anxiety.

A SAFE ROBBER CAPTURED.

A Pair of Them Captured With the Tools of Their Trade in Their Possession.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—Harry Meyer, alias Muldoon, a thief of national reputation, 46 years old, with snowy white hair, occupied a cell in the Penitentiary. In another cell a short distance away in Eldred Cloud, 14 years old, a relative of Meyer by marriage. The two were arrested yesterday morning about six o'clock at the western approach of the Eads bridge. They are charged with "blowing" a safe at Millstadt, Ill., a small town about three miles from Belleville.

Daylight Murder in Chicago.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—Peter Hartman, a resident of Bartlett, Ind., was attacked by three highwaymen while walking in Van Buren street, near State, in broad daylight, Sunday, dragged into the alley at the rear of the Trocadero theater, and murdered for his money. His skull was crushed with a pav ball.

The Dead of Galveston.

Austin, Tex., Sept. 18.—Dr. W. F. Blount, health officer of Texas, who has made a personal investigation, says he is now certain that the death list at Galveston will number fully 8,000, while the property loss is as yet incalculable.

First Frost of the Season.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 18.—The first heavy frost of the season along the Mississippi valley is reported. The temperature fell from 80 degrees to 40 in two days.

Prisoners Gured For.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—The United States practice ship Hawk, manned by a second battalion of Ohio naval reserves, who are taking the vessel from Norfolk, Va., to Cleveland, O., has arrived here from Bar Harbor.

KRUGER A PRISONER.

The Recent President of the Transvaal Republic Practically a Prisoner at Lord'sburg.

London, Sept. 18.—According to the London Standard correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, Mr. Kruger is virtually a prisoner in the residence of the British consul at Lord'sburg. The instance of the British consul who protested against Mr. Kruger using Portuguese territory as a base for his operations.

The French consul has been forbidden access to Mr. Kruger, as have also the latter's own officials. The district governor has notified Herpo (the Netherlands consul) that he (Pott) who had acted as the Boer consul agent at Lourenco Marques, can no longer be recognized as a representative of the Transvaal, which is now British territory.

"I have had an interview with the American attaché, who is homebound," says the correspondent, "and he is of the opinion that hostilities are imminent at a considerable time, as the Boers, in their despair threaten to fight to the death."

"Acting President Schalkburg arrived here yesterday (Friday) to confer with Mr. Kruger, but he was not permitted to see him, and he returned immediately to the Transvaal."

The imperial government, says the Cape Town correspondent of the Standard, intends at an early date to declare a state of peace in South Africa and to issue a proclamation that Boers refusing to lay down their arms will be treated as outlaws."

THE ST. LOUIS EX. OPENED.

Tens of Thousands Re-Attest Their Pride in the Great Show by Their Presence.

St. Louis, Sept. 18.—The St. Louis exposition was opened to the public last night for the season of 1900. It was a successful opening, and President Frank Delmonico, who has officiated at many since the big pile was erected, was the largest crowd in years was in attendance. It may have been curiously over the efforts of a new manager, or it may have been simply a great crowd of people, but it was, in fact, the St. Louis institutions, that caused the outpouring, but, that as it may, the thousands and tens of thousands who poured in through the main entrances made the halls, corridors, Coliseum, basement and Music hall remind one of a vast boathouse.

SIX BURNED TO A CRISP.

Shocking Results of a Fire in Salvation Army Day Nursery at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Sept. 18.—Six lives were lost, at least two persons were fatally injured and several others were seriously burned in a fire on East Front street last evening. The fire was in an old four-story tenement building occupied by the Salvation Army as a day nursery for little children, and four of the victims killed were very little children, who had been left there to be cared for while their parents were out gaining a livelihood. Another victim was a man who perished in a fruitless attempt to save the life of his little four-year-old boy.

A Large Number of Weeks in Thursday Night's Storm Reported.

St. Johns, N. F., Sept. 18.—Tales of widespread destruction wrought by Thursday night's gale continue to pour in. Six vessels were wrecked near St. Pierre and six in Placentia bay. It is also reported that four were lost in Renews harbor, two in the Straits of Belle Isle and four near Cape Bonaville. Thus far it lives are known to have been lost, and it is feared that the loss of life will prove to have been much greater when full information is at hand.

More News Gold.

Seattle, Wash., Sept. 18.—The Steamship Valencia arrived from Nome yesterday with a large passenger list and \$200,000 in gold consigned by the trading companies to the two local banks. The Valencia brings news that a terrible gale raged at Nome from September 1 to 5, but that only three persons are known to have been lost.

Rescuing to Galvestonians.

Galveston, Tex., Sept. 15.—G. W. Boesche, assistant engineer of the Southern Pacific railroad, has received orders by wire from New York to prepare plans at once for a double track steel bridge across Galveston bay, ten feet higher than the old one, and to proceed with all the force possible.

For Governor of New York.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 14.—The Democratic state convention, in session here Wednesday, nominated John B. Staudofsky for governor of the first ballot and William F. Mackey for lieutenant-governor, together with a full state ticket.

The Howard Jury Completed.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 15.—The jury in the case of James Howard, charged with being a principal in the Goebel assassination, has been completed. The jury consists of twelve men, eight republicans and one anti-Goebel democrat. Ten of the jurors are farmers.

Turbulent Indians Subside.

Phoenix, Ariz., Sept. 15.—The trouble between the Pima Indians has been adjusted and the bucks who rebelled and threatened violence if their children were forced to attend the government school, have subsided. The ringleaders were arrested.

The Practice Ship Hawk.

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 18.—The United States practice ship Hawk, manned by a second battalion of Ohio naval reserves, who are taking the vessel from Norfolk, Va., to Cleveland, O., has arrived here from Bar Harbor.

DOWN IN THE MINES.

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Jim? Well, if you can, you can have Nona."

The contest was set for six weeks later. It was to be a sad day's race. Hill quitly went to a coal mine near Belleville, and spent more than five weeks in careful training.

On the first day of the contest Hill and Big Jim met at one of Mr. Smith's mines. They stripped and went to work in the same pit, but in opposite shafts. Big Jim tried for a spurt hoping he would so discourage his antagonist that he would quit. Hill plodded along. At noon Big Jim had twice the amount of coal that Hill had. At night he was two loads ahead. The second day he gained another earload. Then he felt sure of winning, and began a celebration in advance. It cost him heavily, for the third day Hill won out on the three earloads' advantage and was on even terms with him at nightfall.

A note of congratulation from his sweetheart and the note that her father was already proud of him, because of his grit, was a good tonic for Hill. He continued to dig until the sixth day, found him one earload ahead.

Both men spurted on the seventh, and last day, and when the whistle sounded the end of the race, Hill fell to the ground exhausted. He was slightly less than a earload ahead of Big Jim, and the prize was his.

Hill recovered in a few days, and the marriage was celebrated. Mr. Smith was delighted with him, and made him a wedding present of the mine in which the coals were mined, and also some valuable farm lands.—New York Journal.

A TIMELY HINT.

You cannot see and one of the best blood rich and pure and your whole system set in a fine line from malaria, typhoid fever, cold and the grip. Dr. Carter's German Liver Purgative. These you can see in the best medicine money can buy. For your cold try Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. Price 25c and 50c.

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Dog Lost.

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Card of Thanks.

Mrs. D. F. Wright wishes to return her sincere thanks to Mrs. McFadden and family, Mrs. Harriette Finley, Mrs. Clark and Miss Annie Clark, for their kindness to Miss Jessie Clark while she was sick. CAPT. T. B. WRIGHT.

According to Pittsburgh dispatches the Pressed Steel Car Company has received a contract for a number of cars of 80,000 pounds carrying capacity to be used on the Great Southern Railroad of Spain.

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Of Hopkins County.

Hopkins County Under Democratic and Under Republican Rule.

The tendency of good times under Democratic and under Republican national administrations has often been demonstrated so that it has become an axiom that we have prosperity in the United States under the careful, honest, business administrations of the Republicans and something different under the administrations of the Democrats.

We are accustomed to hear of these things, some of us, as far away reports of doings of other people, without looking about and recognizing the effects of this prosperity upon our own immediate section. In order to bring this home to ourselves—to the people of Hopkins county—The Bee has compiled some interesting and valuable figures which show the progress and growth of the great coal interests of Hopkins county under recent administrations, Democratic and Republican. Hopkins is the greatest coal-producing county in Kentucky, its output being one-fourth the entire product of the whole State. The interests of the Hopkins county coal miners and operators are of such magnitude and so closely interwoven with the interests of Hopkins farmers, merchants and all citizens that what affects the coal interests is a matter of personal concern to all of the Western mining district of Kentucky.

Taking the year 1892, the last year of President Harrison's administration, Hopkins county produced 736,765 tons of coal. During 1893, the first year of Cleveland, the county's output was 761,074 tons, an increase of 34 per cent as compared with the previous year. This is the gain of the first year of a Democratic administration over the last year of a Republican administration. In 1896, Cleveland's last year of Democratic rule, the county produced 779,181 tons. This was an increase of only 54 per cent during the four years of Democratic administration. In 1897, the first year under McKinley, Hopkins county produced 961,412 tons of coal. This, compared with 1896, the last year of Democratic power, shows an increase in output in one year of 234 per cent. During 1899, the third year of Republican rule, the county produced 1,265,706 tons of coal, an increase over 1896 of 624 per cent in three years.

These figures are startling but true and exhibit the actual condition of the enormous coal interests of Hopkins county from the close of 1891 to the beginning

IMPERIAL BRYAN'S HEART BLEEDS FOR THE FILIPINO.



The constitutional right of the Filipino to shoot holes through the flag appeals so strongly to Bryan that he does not want to hear the appeal of hundreds of thousands of negroes in the southern states who are being denied by violence and fraud their constitutional right to vote by his red shirt followers.—New York Tribune.

of 1900, covering the closing year of Harrison's, all of Cleveland's and three years of McKinley's administrations.

Under four years of Democratic rule Hopkins county's coal product increased 64 per cent. Under three years of McKinley the product of Hopkins county's mines increased 624 per cent.

Which will you have?

That Chainless Letter.

The "Civil Liberty" endless chain letter is a good thing to push along. Have you had one yet? If so keep it going. Don't let the chain break in your hands. Much depends on the prompt and hearty cooperation of all into whose hands these letters come. But it is receiving the best attention, so far as we can learn, from all friends of civil liberty and all these are willing and glad to contribute their dollar to the Civil Liberty Campaign.

By some of the recipients the terms of the letter, which has been sent out from Civil Liberty headquarters, are not wholly understood; and it is not quite like the usual "endless chain" letter, and not entirely plain in its terms. We have talked to the author of this letter during the past week. What he desires is that each recipient of one of these letters shall return to him the letter with one dollar, with the expression of willingness to help the fund along by finding three others who will do likewise. Then the treasurer, upon receipt of the letter and the dollar, will send back to each subscriber three other copies of the letter to be used by him on the three names he has selected to continue the chain. Thus all the copies of this letter come from the "Civil Liberty Headquarters" and are returned there with each enclosing one dollar.

The returns are coming in very encouragingly and all indications point to a very hearty and general response.

If you have not had one of these letters and want to have a part in this great campaign for "Civil Liberty," write The Bee with expression of your desire and we will see that you get into the chain that will help to bind Goebelism to oblivion at the November election. Send in your name and become an active link in this chain.

We are able, by special arrangement, to give The Bee readers this week another great state paper in Theodore Roosevelt's letter of acceptance. This makes the third great address by three of our greatest and ablest statesmen. The Bee has published in full in three weeks. These are the utterances, in the order given, of John W. Yerkes, William McKinley and Theodore Roosevelt. It has ever been our endeavor to give to our readers the best and all that could be commanded within the limitations of a county weekly newspaper and we trust and believe this effort and its results are appreciated by The Bee's large and growing list of subscribers.

Hon. SAM CRUMBAKER, of Evansville, Ind., Republican nominee for State Senator from his district, and the worthy son of Mr. J. W. Crumbaker, one of Hopkins county's most honored and substantial farmer citizens, is making an enviable record as a speaker in his campaign, and is practically sure of election. We have a report of his speech delivered at Fount Branch, Ind., recently, which is a very able presentation of national issues and which we would be glad to publish for its length and the press and urgency of State political and local news matter. Sam's many Kentucky friends extend to him across the Ohio the glad hand of encouragement in his worthy striving for political honors and distinction.

As THE BEE remarked the other week, Chief-Rain-Maker John Brashier and Sitting Bull Bob Bradley are the medicine men of the Beckhamite wigwag in Hopkins county. The mighty Bull now sits, in vindication of THE BEE's announcement, as City Judge of the city of Madisonville, by grace of William Cripps Beckham—who who sits as the embodiment of the law which "does not leave to chance" the result of Kentucky elections. It is right that Mr. Beckham should recognize the services of his friends, but how about the rest of humanity?

Mr. A. O. STANLEY, Democratic elector for the Second district pretended to be very anxious for a joint debate with Senator Deboe at Madisonville Tuesday. There is a standing invitation at St. Charles for Mr. Stanley to come at any time to debate with any of several local county Republican speakers. George King took care of Mr. Stanley not long since at a St. Charles meeting. But it sounds better, you know, to have the report go out that the Democratic elector tried to get a debate with a United States Senator.

The radical Goebelites in the Legislature insist on bestowing judicial powers upon election boards in any amendment to the Goebel law, and they also insist upon Sam Shackelford, of local fame in Hopkins County, being a member of the state board and holding the deciding vote. The conservative Democrats and the Republicans will never submit to such a "compromise." The indications now are that there will be no change in the law unless a fair, non-partisan law can be passed.

The directors of the Louisville Horse Show have deemed it advisable to increase the capacity of their building from 5,000 to 10,000. The arena will be 240 feet long. The show will be a very popular event.

Dr. Bull's
Has saved many a life!
Speedily cures Croup and Whooping-cough, Hiccup and Sore Throat. Mothers can always rely on it. Children like it. Doses are small. Price 25 cents.

Revival.
On Saturday night before the fourth Sunday in October a revival meeting will begin at the General Baptist church. The pastor, Rev. J. A. Burden, is arranging with an Indiana minister, who he says is a great preacher, to conduct the meeting.

Question Answered.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for indigestion or biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous Prostration or Heart failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stay fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous and organic action of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and had headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. For sale by St. Bernard drug store.

Hon. N. B. Chambers will address the people of Earlington and vicinity at Masonic Hall Wednesday night next from the stand of an advocate of civil liberty.

A GOOD many consumptives would be cured and the worst cases comforted and relieved by using Foley's Honey and Tar. Suggest it to those afflicted. You will do this as a friend. Campbell & Co.

The Fire at Cadiz.

Destroyed the college building, but a better takes its place. Everything new; experienced professors, modern methods, admirable discipline, beautiful grounds, healthful, moral, preparatory, shorthand, commercial, collegiate and teachers' courses. Board \$8 to \$12 a month. Opens September 3, 1900. Tuition free to all.

Address: Pres. E. McCulley, A. M. Cadiz, Ky.

Daisy Photos \$2c. per dozen, at J. S. Toy's gallery, Earlington, Ky.

The Louisville and Nashville has ordered 250 coal cars from the American Car and Foundry Company.

Wonderful Eight.

Cures cholera, diarrhoea, colic, cramps, lameness, sprains, lumbago, swellings, pains in the head or body, neuralgia, rheumatism and toothache, all pain, internal or external cured quicker with Morley's Wonderful Eight than any other remedy. Free trial bottles at Campbell & Co's.

A large blast furnace is to be built at Rose Hill, Va., near Middlesboro, Ky. Brown Brothers, New York bankers, are said to be interested in the enterprise. The builders contract 7,000 acres of ore land at Rose Hill.

Foley's Kidney Cure

Is a pure medicine, and contains in concentrated form, remedies recognized by the most skillful of the medical profession as the most effective agents for the cure of kidney and bladder diseases.

The exportation of coal from the United States is assuming enormous proportions. More than 40,000 tons left the Atlantic coast within the past few days, principally for Mediterranean ports.

Success—Worth Knowing

Forty years' success in the South proves Hughes' Tonic a great remedy for Chills and All Malaria Evils. Better than Quinine. Guaranteed. Try it. At druggists. 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hartman, of Newbern, died last Thursday night of summer complaint.

A good friendly letter in this issue to THE BEE and its readers from Elder I. H. Teel, now laboring in his Christian work at Paducah. We take this occasion to thank Mr. Teel publicly in the name of THE BEE's readers for the heart to heart talk in this good letter to us all.

A brief kindly letter from Rev. C. C. Hall, Grant Orchard, Ill., to THE BEE, expresses his continued interest in Earlington and our people, and says, "I would be pleased to make Earlington a visit and see all my old friends, but don't know now when I can come." There are many of us who would give Brother Hall a warm welcome.

Walter and Will are accused of having a predilection for that which is left after a house affire. The steps of the old public school building were left after the fire, but not long. It is rumored that each scooped, not the burning but the intact steps and a race ensued. Walter got the steps it is reported, and Will drove up just in time to see the lost prize disappear.

News from Prof. J. E. Kemp, at Trinidad, Colorado, where he has started in his second year as principal of the largest public school in that city, says he is in excellent working order, notwithstanding his continuous work for almost the whole year in school, summer school and institute. It will be remembered that he went West a little over two years ago in very bad health. Mrs. Kemp was ill also when she went to him in 1890, but now the health of the entire family is excellent.

A rich joke is told on Dr. T. B. Finley, of St. Charles, by our good old friend, Mr. John Baker. It seems that the doctor had been longing for a mocking-bird for sometime and a lad near by hearing of his desire, went to the woods in search of a feathered songster. He found one without trouble and immediately went to the home of Doctor Finley and offered the young bird, yet without feathers, for sale. The doctor was delighted and readily gave the lad a liberal sum. Since then he has provided it with all the delicacies of the season, and given it the tenderest care; too tender, doubtless, for a mocking-bird, as it has recently developed into a blue-jay.

Announcement.

EDITOR BEE: Please announce through the columns of your paper that on the third Sunday in October we will dedicate the Baptist church free from debt. Pastor J. G. Zow, D. D., will be present and preach the dedicatory sermon. We rejoice greatly that the debt which has so long stood in the way of the progress of the church has all been paid. We are grateful to all who contributed toward the payment of this debt, especially to Mr. J. B. Atkinson, Esq., for his liberal help, and to Miss Ethel Evans for her untiring labor as collector.

This service will be followed by a series of services, and we hope to see Christians revived and sinners saved. All are invited to attend.

J. A. McCord, Pastor.

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A Success.

The protracted meeting in the Methodist church at Madisonville, conducted by Revs. G. W. Lyon, F. H. Davis and W. K. Pines has been a very successful one. There have already been several conversions and additions, and the interest continues unabated.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last fifteen years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Protracted Meeting.

A protracted meeting will begin at the Christian Church in Madisonville Oct. 21st. Pastor Hill will be assisted by Eld. Thayer, of Crawfordville, Ind., who is said to be a fine preacher.

Millions Give Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who is not afraid to be generous. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine; and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on St. Bernard Druggist and get a free trial bottle. Regular size 50c. and 81c. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

Coal dealers are confronted with a dear famine. They find it impossible to secure cars to haul their coal and are lamentably behind in filling company orders. Railroad officials declare that on account of the demand for cars for wheat transportation they themselves cannot get a sufficient number of cars to freight their own coal. The situation looks dubious—Interstate Manufacturer.

Brave Men Fall.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and listlessness, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters were just the thing for a man when he is all run-down and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and good appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50c. at St. Bernard Druggists. Every bottle guaranteed.

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Annual Conference.

The Louisville Annual Conference of the M. E. Church, South, will meet in Elizabethtown next Wednesday. Bishop Eugene B. Hendrix, of Kansas City, Mo., will preside, and Dr. Gross Alexander, of Vanderbilt University, will be secretary. The lay delegates from the Henderson district are Dr. D. O. Hancock, of Henderson; W. D. Brown, of Hanson; Dr. J. R. Sigler, of Union county; and Paul M. Moore, of this city. This has been one of the most prosperous years in the history of the conference, and the reports will show the different pastoral charges to be in good condition.

Red Hot From the Gun.

Was the ball hit G. B. Steedman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible Ulcers that no treatment helped for 20 years. Then Bucklen's Arnica-Salve cured him. Cures Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Pains, Itching, Skin Eruptions. Best Pile cure on earth. 25c. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by St. Bernard Druggist.

Thomas E. Finley and F. V. Zimmer, of Madisonville, were in the city Monday evening en route to St. Charles, where they spoke at night to a good crowd in behalf of the Republican ticket.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globe of health that changes weakness into strength, lightness into energy, brain-fog into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25c. per box. Sold by St. Bernard Druggist.

Miss Nannie Rutherford, of Nebo, was in Earlington Monday, en route home from Dawson, Ark. She is where she has been visiting for several days.

ECZEMA, ITCHING HUMORS, PIMPLES CURED BY B. B. B.

Bottle Skin Itch Sufferers.

Does your skin itch and burn? Distressing Eruptions on the Skin and you feel ashamed to be seen in company? The scabs and scales form on the skin, hair or scalp? Have you Eczema, skin sores and cracking? Rash form on the skin? Prickling pain in the skin? Boils? Pimples? Home pimples? Scrofula? Falling hair? All run-down? Skin pale? Old sores? Eating sores? Ulcers? All these are symptoms of Eczema and Impurities and Poisons in the blood. To cure to stay cured takes B. B. B. (Booth's Blood Balm) which makes the blood pure and rich. B. B. B. will cause the sores to be itching of oozing to stop forever, the skin to become clean and the breath sweet. B. B. B. is just the remedy you have been looking for. Thoroughly tested for 30 years. Our readers are advised to try B. B. B. For sale by druggists at 1c per large bottle; six large bottles (full treatment) 45c. Complete directions with each bottle. So sufferers may test it, a trial bottle given away. Write for it. Address BLOOD BALM CO., Atlanta, Ga. Describe your trouble and Free personal medical advice given.

Entries for the Louisville Horse Show will close September 30, and the nature of the event and the liberal prizes offered would indicate that the classes will all be well filled. No doubt the largest and finest aggregation of horses ever seen will be in Louisville on that occasion.

A Warning.

Pain or soreness in the back must never be slighted. Kidney diseases creep on us only with that one warning. Delay is folly when by timely use of Morley's Liver and Kidney Cordial, the great system renovator, all danger can be avoided. This remedy is a positive cure for Kidney and Urinary Troubles.

The Danville Bessemer rolling mill, which has been closed down for some weeks, is expected to soon resume operations.

DIGEST YOUR FOOD.

Many per cent. of all ailments are caused by food not being properly digested. It creates poisons and tends to ruin the system. It is liable to almost any disease the human system is heir to. Use Dr. Cassell's German Liver Powder and watch the result. You will feel the good effects after a few days. Give it a trial and be convinced. Price 25c.

Dr. Otto's Soreness Cure Balm Cures Your Cough. Just the Medicine for Children. For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store.

The Blandon (Pa.) rolling mill, which has been idle for the past five weeks, during which extensive repairs have been made, will resume on Monday next, giving employment to 250 persons.

Half the World is in Darkness.

As to the cause of their ill health. If they would start to read their kidneys with Foley's Kidney Cure, the weariness of body and mind, backache, headache and rheumatic pains would disappear. Campbell & Co.

Senator Deboe Spoke. United States Senator W. J. Deboe, spoken at Madisonville Tuesday afternoon in behalf of the Republican national and state tickets. A good sized audience was present and the Senator made a fine impression upon all his hearers. His points were well arranged and his arguments were unanswerable. He showed up the fallacies of Bryanism and Goebellism in their true lights, and was frequently interrupted by applause. The Senator is doing valiant service for his party.

Tried Friends Best.

Forty years Tut's Pills have proven a blessing to the invalid. Are truly the sick man's friend.

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For bilious headache, dyspepsia, sour stomach, malaria, constipation and all kindred diseases. TUTT'S LIVER PILLS AN ABSOLUTE CURE.

Christian Endeavor.

The Christian Endeavor will meet in the M. E. Church, South, next Sunday evening at 8:20 o'clock. Miss Minnie L. Bourland will be the leader and the program will be interesting.

No Relief for Twenty Years.

"I had bronchitis for twenty years," said Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., "and at times have been bedfast. I never got relief until I had taken Foley's Kidney and Liver Pills. It pleased and gives quick relief, and is a sure cure for throat and lung diseases." Take nothing else. Campbell & Co.

The Louisville Horse Show Association will have the largest building in the South to be used for a public purpose. It will accommodate 10,000 people, hold a ring 240 feet long, a grand promenade an eighth of a mile long and two big cafes.

Lock Jaw.

Ed H. Hardin, China Springs, Tex., says: "One large dose of Morley's Wonderful Eight cured my case of lock-jaw. It was a wonderful cure and saved me a \$65 animal." Free trial bottles at Campbell & Co's.

Hon. N. B. Chambers, Chairman of the Second Congressional District Republican Committee, will address the people of Earlington and vicinity at Masonic Hall next Wednesday night.

Ulcers, open or obstinate sores, scalds and piles, quickly cured by Bannister's Ointment. A sure cure. Medicine in the world. Campbell & Co.

James H. Cromwell, who has spent several months here, left last Thursday night for his home in Henderson. Jim made many friends during his stay in Earlington, and their best wishes will follow him wherever he goes.

Ladies Favorite—Morley's Little Liver Pills for Bilious People are the ladies' favorite, because they are small, easily taken, and do their work quietly, and effectually. One a dose. Sold by Campbell & Co., Earlington.

Call on Toy, the Earlington Photographer and have your photos made cheap from 25c. per dozen up.

The hard-coal syndicates in Silesia and the Rhine provinces have raised the prices of hard coal 25 per cent., and soft coal in Berlin is 50 per cent. higher.

How Bright's Disease Starts.

Indigestion, biliousness, blood poisoning, with urea and uric acid (which should have been excreted by the kidneys), rheumatic pains in the muscles and joints, causing irritation of the kidneys, then pains over the small of the back, mark sure approach of Bright's disease. Do not delay taking Foley's Kidney Cure, for it makes the kidneys right. Take no substitute. Campbell & Co.

The Fitchburg railroad lease to the Boston & Maine has been formally ratified.

Bicycle Repairs.

Bicycle Sundries.

I have opened a Repair Shop in Earlington, and will repair Bicycles.



clos, Guns and Pistols in a thorough manner and promptly, and will keep repairs for all on hand.

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OTHERWISE UNNOTICED.
Two children were burned to death at Waco, Tex. The fire happened to light a fire with coal oil.
St. Leo's Roman Catholic parish, St. Louis, inaugurated a street fair Monday night, with a grand parade.
An Indian outbreak is threatened in San Miguel county, Col., according to advices received by Gov. The Ins.
The proposed visit of the duke and duchess of York to Australia arouses much enthusiasm among the colonials.
Peter Ross, who was a wealthy merchant in one of the hospitals of the city.
Labor is in great demand in Hawaii since the annexation of the islands has shut off the supply of Japanese contract labor.
Andrew Carnegie has promised the Greenock (Scotland) town council the sum of \$5,000 for founding a public library in Greenock.
The Petersburg correspondent of the London Daily Mail announces that Lord Roberts will start for Egypt at the close of October.
The census bureau announces that the population of South Omaha, Neb., is 35,001, as against 5,000 in 1890; increase 33,000, or 660 per cent.
Reports of the recent hurricane show great destruction to craft and fishery property on the coast of Newfoundland and at Cape Breton.
The annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Tennessee, at Detroit, Mich., has been postponed from September 26-27 until November 14-15.
Arthur Lynch, associate editor of the Charleston (Ill.) Courier, and Miss Rachel M. Wilson, also of Charleston, were married at St. Louis Monday.
William Yates shot and killed George Miller on the street at Carmi, Ill. Both are young men. The coroner held Yates for the grand jury without bond.
The letter of William J. Bryan accepting the nomination as the candidate of the democratic party for president of the United States has been made public.
Six lives were lost, two other persons were fatally injured and several others were seriously burned in a fire in a Salvation Army day nursery at Cincinnati.
The British commander at Tientsin cables that a fatigue party, engaged in destroying gunpowder at Tung-Chow, has been blown up. Sixteen were killed and 22 wounded.
The Pennsylvania Railroad Company contemplates an extension of the pension gratuity for retired naval employees to the lines west of Pittsburgh, within the next two years.
Richard Yates, republican candidate for governor of New York, has been taken down with yellow fever at Camp Columbia, Havana.
The effects of the anthracite coal strike in Pennsylvania are being felt in Chicago. Every dealer in that city has raised the price for all grades of hard coal from \$6.25 to \$7. St. Louis has done likewise.
A 32-foot granite column that was being hoisted into place in front of the St. Louis Hotel, has been pulled, snapped in two, owing to a flaw in the stone, causing a loss of over \$5,000 to the contractor.
High Island All Right.
Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 16.—A telegram from the Evening Journal of Memphis, Tex., states that the reported destruction of High Island, with great loss of life is erroneous. The Evening Journal of Memphis, Tex., states that there is no loss of property was sustained.
Rear-Admiral Seward Dead.
Rome, N. Y., Sept. 15.—Rear-Admiral Montgomery Seward died of apoplexy at 9 a. m. at his summer home, Westerville.
THE MARKETS.
New York, Sept. 15.
CATTLE—Native Steers 3.40 to 3.50
CATTLE—Middling 3.20 to 3.30
CATTLE—Fair to Choice 3.10 to 3.20
CATTLE—Butcher's 3.00 to 3.10
CATTLE—Calf 2.50 to 2.60
CATTLE—Heifer 2.40 to 2.50
CATTLE—Cow 2.30 to 2.40
CATTLE—Bull 2.20 to 2.30
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Austin, Tex., Sept. 16.—Gov. Sayers has received the following official report from Mayor Jones of Galveston, as to conditions there:
"Galveston, Tex., Sept. 16.—Hon. Joseph D. Sayers, Governor: After the fullest possible investigation here we feel justified in saying to you, and through you to the American people, that no such disaster has ever overtaken any community or section in the history of our country. The loss of life is appalling, and can never be accurately determined. It is estimated at 5,000 to 8,000 people. There is not a home in Galveston that has not been injured, while thousands have been destroyed.
Accumulations of Sixty Years Gone.
The property loss represents accumulations of 60 years, and more millions than can be safely stated. Under these conditions, with ten thousand people homeless and destitute, with the entire population under a stress and strain difficult to realize, we appeal directly, in the hour of our great emergency, to the sympathy and aid of mankind everywhere."
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R. B. HAWLEY, Member Congress, Galveston District.
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NOT GALVESTON ALONE.
The Condition of Affairs at Alvin Calls for Relief.
Houston, Tex., Sept. 16.—The following statement and appeal was sent by W. E. King, of Alvin, Tex.:
"I arrived in Alvin from Dallas, and was astonished by the sight of devastation on every side. Ninety-five per cent. of the houses in this vicinity are in ruins, leaving six thousand people without adequate shelter, and destitute. Everything in the way of crops is destroyed, and unless there is speedy relief there will be exceedingly serious suffering."
Must Have Assistance.
The people need and must have assistance. Need money to rebuild their homes and buy stock and implements. They need food—flour, bacon, corn. They must have seeds for their gardens so as to be able to do something for themselves very soon. Clothing is badly needed. Hundreds of women and children are without a change and are suffering. Some better idea may be had of the distress when it is known that box cars are being improvised as houses and hay as bedding. In the town of Alvin are standing on their foundations and they are badly damaged.
Suffering and Starvation Imminent.
The necessities of the people must be met or great suffering and starvation will follow.
"It is believed that a generous public will quickly respond when they know the dire straits of these people. While the great sympathetic heart of this grand nation is responding so generously for the stricken city of Galveston, it should be remembered, also, that the neighboring towns—where the same conditions of total wreck exist, though miraculously with smaller loss of life—need immediate help from a liberal people."

The Country Struck with Corpses.
A bulletin from Hitchcock says: "Country districts are strewn with corpses. The prairies around Hitchcock are dotted with the bodies of the dead. Scores are unburied, as the bodies are too badly decomposed to handle, and the water too deep to permit of burial. A pestilence is feared from the decomposition of animal matter lying everywhere. Disinfecting material is badly needed."
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The Democratic Presidential Candidate Addresses a Large Concourse of People.
St. Louis, Sept. 15.—William J. Bryan arrived at East St. Louis at 12:30 p. m., and was received with enthusiastic demonstrations. After lunch at the National hotel Mr. Bryan was escorted to the city hall, and from a platform erected on the north front, he addressed an immense throng, dealing chiefly with the trust question. Later in the afternoon he was escorted by a committee from this city across the river, to fill his engagement to speak at the coliseum in the evening, when he addressed a gathering, that filled the immense structure, mainly on the subject of trusts.

A Victim of Whitecaps.
Independence, Ia., Sept. 15.—Elmer Gray, a farmer in Middlefield township, was victim of a whitecap storm Thursday night. He was severely flooded and treated to a coast of fat and ordered out of the county. Gray was recently released from the penitentiary for assaulting his father.

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The first thing to do when you find your stomach "out of order" is to be careful about your eating for a few days and use
DR. CARLSTEDT'S GERMAN LIVER POWDER.
Common sense will tell you that to cure stomach troubles a medicine must be used that will strengthen the digestive organs, and such a remedy is Dr. Carlstedt's German Liver Powder. It goes right to the root of the difficulty and is the only easy, safe and reliable remedy on the market for the treatment of this disease.
For sale by all druggists and dealers generally or by mail on receipt of price, 25 cents, 50 cents, \$1.00.
Beware of the CARLSTEDT MED. CO., Evansville, Ind.

The Great Circus Day.
In almost every home and hamlet the announcement of the coming of Madisonville Saturday next, September 22, of the Adam Forepaugh and Seitz Brothers' union of big shows will be greeted as tidings of great joy. Aside from its national reputation it presents very strong special proof to support its claim of being the only big show in America. Since the Barum & Baileys show went to Europe, it is the only menagerie, circus and hippodrome that has exhibited in New York city, and the general metropolitan audience for two seasons at Madison Square Garden, and in the press, seems to be that it has eclipsed its great and popular predecessor. The World echoes the drift of public opinion in pronouncing it "the biggest circus that New York has ever seen, and what field good there will doubtless be maintained in the country at large, as the same attractions, whether on four legs or two on the earth or in the air, will be all of them will be as effectively presented wherever the biggest tents on earth are pitched. From start to finish, from the magnificent street parade to the last of the hippodrome races, the exhibition is at once a colossus and

THE GREAT FAMINE.

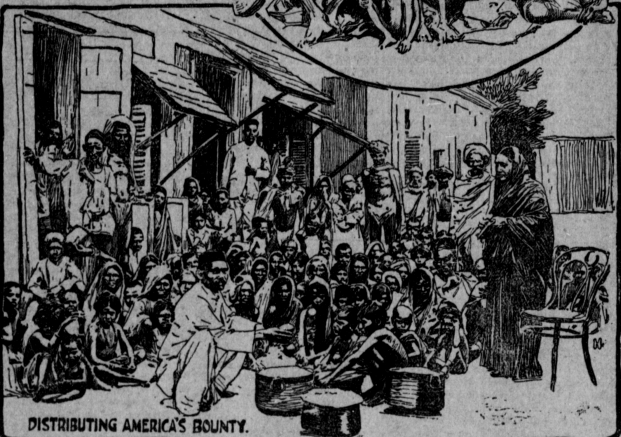


IN INDIA there are, speaking generally, but two rainy seasons—the one in early summer and the other in the autumn. In the present case there was scarce any rain in the summer of 1900, virtually none in the autumn. The temperature also must be considered. The average temperature of the more densely populated portions of the famine district is hardly less than 80 degrees, as contrasted with New York state, with its less than 60 degrees; Virginia, with its 58 degrees, and the extreme south of Florida with its 72 degrees. When the rains fall in India, the strong sun takes all moisture from the rainless ground. Verdure disappears; cattle die; the famished people perished by the tens of thousands.

VICTIMS OF FAMINE.



For in India three-fourths of the population is agricultural; in the United States one-seventh. In large portions of India the population is 500 to the square mile, in New York state 132 and in Ohio 109. No real improvement is possible until the harvests of next October and November. The rains have come three weeks late, and, with their cattle dead and they themselves enfeebled by hunger, the small farmers cannot properly prepare the soil. That necessitates poor harvests, and that necessitates relief, not only until those inferior harvests



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are gathered, but also, doubtless, even afterward. Clothing and shelter are needed, and tens of thousands of orphaned and deserted children must be cared for.

The great civil and antislavery agency of famine relief is the New York Committee of One Hundred, William E. Dodge, chairman, and Brown Bros. & Co. 59 Wall street, New York, treasurers. This committee, with which similar committees throughout the country co-operate, has received over \$200,000. Contributions are called weekly, without expense, to the American-Indian Famine Relief Committee at Bombay, United States Consul William T. Fox, chairman, and the veteran missionary administrator, Robert A. Hume, executive secretary. The New York committee will send illustrated literature, with out charge, to all who will co-operate in its work. Correspondence should be addressed to L. T. Chamberlaine, 73 Bible House, New York.

This paper gladly opens its columns for the receipt and acknowledgment of gifts to be forwarded either to the New York committee or to some co-operating committee. From 2 to 5 cents a day will save a life. Six cents a day will give food and clothing and shelter. In such a work all can have a share.

SAY IT IS NOT TRUE.

County Attorney Sparks and Judge Brown Denounce Judge Williams' Statement.

London, Ky., Sept. 15.—There is much indignation expressed here regarding some of Judge Williams' statements to the jury as to what he expected to prove against James Howard.

County Attorney James Sparks, of London, gives out the following signed statement:

"Judge Williams' statement to the jury that Jim Howard conferred with me on his way to Frankfort and told me he was going to take hand in settling the contest is untrue.

"His statement that I said 'after Howard was gone that Goebel would be killed and a pardon had been written out for the man who would do it is also false and no reputable witness will swear it.

"I don't know whether Jim Howard is guilty or innocent of the crime of which he is accused, but he never conferred with me about anything before he went to Frankfort, and I didn't know he had gone there until several days after Goebel was shot.

"I hadn't had a conversation with Howard for months before the killing of Goebel.

JAMES SPARKS."

Circuit Judge W. L. Brown denounces the whole matter of Howard's alleged conference with him as false.

Life Sentence.

Owensboro, Ky., Sept. 15.—Sam Kelly, who has been on trial several days for killing his brother-in-law, Robert Bryant, received a life sentence this morning. His plea was insanity.

The jury held out for some time for death penalty. The defendant is about sixty-eight years of age. His attorneys will take the case to the court of appeals.

Poole's Notes.

Poole, Ky., September 18. Mr. George Moore had the misfortune to lose his home by fire Sunday morning, the fire breaking out shortly before day, while all were in their beds. They saved but very little of their household goods. No one knows the origin of the fire. It was thought by the family that there was not a spark of fire on the place. The house belonged to the estate of the late Elijah Matton, and was worth about \$300. This is the fourth house in the last few months that has been destroyed by fire.

Since my last letter death has called away two of our citizens, Mr. F. T. Pate, on the 26th of last month, and H. C. Connel, on the 11th inst. Both were highly respected.

There is still a great deal of sickness.

Several of our boys went to Dixon to hear Senator Deboe. Our band was also on hand to furnish music. The Senator was greeted by a full house and made an excellent speech, as he always does. Mr. Stanley, a Democrat, was on hand and made a speech. His crowd was more noisy, but Deboe's will count when it comes to the ballot. The Republicans are more determined this year than ever to do their whole duty.

"I had a running sore on my leg for seven years," writes Mrs. James Forest, of Chappewa Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." Campbell & Co.

Letter List.

The following list of letters remain uncalled for in the postoffice at Earlington, for the week ending, September 20, 1900:

Aldm. Hay, Amis, Sam, col., Battle, Willie H., Bradley, B. T., Bailey, Mrs. Leconroy, Cooper, Robert E., Deprest, B. F., Dawson, Abe, Fore, J. H., Fox, Henry, Greer, Seymour, Harris, Deacon of Baptist Church, Hughes, Mrs. R. C., Hutchins, Eld H. W., King, Miss Lizzie, Motherhead, C. A., Merriweather, Mrs. C. J., McLeary, Mrs. Lizzie, Martin, John, Oldham, Mrs. Elizabeth, Pettie, W. V., Jones, Phyllis, Sisk, Mrs. Lulah, Tiltford, Mr. Lell, Utley, A. T., Vinson, Finis, Toder, Mr. Henry.

The first through train from Nashville to Harrison on the Tennessee Central railroad was run Tuesday. The train was loaded with people.

Subscribe for THE BEE.

NERVOUSNESS, An American Disease.

DR. S. WEIR MITCHELL, an authority for the statement that nervousness is the characteristic malady of the American nation, and statistics show that nerve deaths number one-fourth of all deaths recorded, the mortality being mainly among young people.

Johnston's Sarsaparilla

is the grand specific for this great American disease, because it goes straight to the source of the weakness, building up health and strength by supplying rich, abundant food and pure blood to the worn-out tissues, restoring the liver to activity and regulating all the organs of the body.

"The Medicine Man Co., Detroit, Mich."

Liverstones the famous little liver pills.

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlington, Ky.

With Roosevelt.

The Republican State Committee announces today that the Hon. Theodore Roosevelt will be accompanied on his speaking tour of Kentucky, October 12 and 13, by the Hon. John Proctor Clarke, of New York and by Gen. Curtis Guild, Jr., of Boston, who was Gen. Fitzhugh Lee's Inspector General in Cuba.

Both men are possessed of rare oratorical powers, and will make valuable aids to Gov. Roosevelt.

The London Stationer concludes that the United Kingdom, France, Belgium, Germany, Holland, Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, Switzerland and Scandinavia will have to import for the crop year August 1, 1900, to August 1, 1901, approximately, 324,000,000 bushels of wheat, 26,000,000 bushels in excess of last season's imports. It is estimated that Eastern Europe will supply 128,000,000 bushels of this, and America is relied upon for 120,000,000 bushels, which compares with American total exports last crop year of 180,000,000 bushels, and 220,000,000 bushels the previous year.

Thomas Whitford has been engaged this week in repairing the side-walks in front of McLeod and Crumshaw's store.

For Malaria, Chills and Fever



THE BEST PRESCRIPTION IS Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic.

The formula is plainly printed on every bottle—hence you know just what you are taking when you take Grove's. Imitators do not advertise their formula knowing that you would not buy their medicine if you knew what it contained. Grove's contains Iron and Quinine put up in correct proportions and is in a Tasteless form. The Iron acts as a tonic while the Quinine drives the malaria out of the system. Any reliable druggist will tell you that Grove's is the *Original* and that all other so-called Tasteless Chill Tonics are imitations. An analysis of other chill tonics shows that Grove's is superior to all others in every respect. You are not experimenting when you take Grove's—its superiority and excellence having long been established. Grove's is the only Chill Cure sold throughout the entire malarial sections of the United States. No Cure, No Pay. Price, 50c.

Will Return To Work.

Middlesboro, Ky., Sept. 18.—The men at Excelsior mines will return to work to-morrow. The men at the other will remain out for the time being, but the operators think they will all be at work by October 1.

Resolutions.

Whereas, Death has visited the home of Brother David Vincent, and taken the little daughter, be it Resolved, By Hopkins Lodge, No. 61, A. O. U. W.:

First—That we extend to Brother Vincent and his family our deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

Second—That we pray that God may comfort and sustain them in their hours of gloom.

Third—That a copy of these resolutions be given to the bereaved family, a copy given to the Bazaar for publication, and that they be spread upon the records of the Lodge.

A. L. P. WOODWARD, J. A. PARKER, R. M. WHEAT, Committee.

According to the Railroad Gazette orders were placed during the month of August for 6,178 cars of all kinds and 129 locomotives. This is practically the same number of cars ordered the month previous, but a considerably larger number of locomotives than in any month since April.

Holmes Association.

The Green River Holmes Association will meet in the Tabernacle at Madisonville, October 25, and will continue about ten days. Rev. B. A. Cundiff is president; Rev. A. A. Niles, vice president, and M. F. Denton is secretary. S. H. Prather will have charge of the music.

W. A. NISBET, President.

O. W. WADDILL, Cashier.

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Will receive prompt attention at this office. Estimates furnished upon application.

A Coat of Many Colors Met the Requirements of Joseph, But What Your House Requires is TWO COATS of

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Manufacturers guarantee that if this Paint is used according to directions it will outwear any prepared paint on the market.

One Gallon of These Paints Will Coat 300 Square Feet of Smooth Surface Two Coats.

QUALITY UNSURPASSED.

"INDEX" PREPARED PAINTS.

St. Bernard Drug Store.



The matron of a well known Masonic Home mentions one inmate, seventy years of age, who has been in the infirmary for three years, a great sufferer from indigestion, and has been taking Ripans Tablets about a year and a half and finds them so beneficial that he is never without them. He is willing that his name should be used in a testimonial, as it might be of use in persuading some other person to try them. A second old gentleman, in the same institution, eighty-four years of age, has had liver trouble for many years and finds that R-I-P-A-N-S help him very much. They also have two nurses there, one thirty years of age, the other forty-two; both suffer from indigestion, causing headache, depression of spirits and nervousness. They take the Tablets and find them so useful that they always have a package in their pockets. The matron also states that she is forty-five years of age and at times suffers with indigestion, causing pain and paroxysms of belching, and finds that the Tablets are very good indeed and is perfectly willing to have her name used in a testimonial.

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Foley's Honey and Tar

for children, safe, sure. No opiates.

The fact is known of all men that the results of the charges have greatly improved and the reason is not far to seek. Confidence was restored by the fact that the charges were shown to give effect to the verdict of 1890 was slowly drafted. Assured of a fair trial, the charges were shown in a hiding place, seeking investments. All the wheels of commerce began to turn. All the vast productive energies of a nation were set to work. The result was the whole theory on which Mr. Bryan conducted his campaign of 1890 was asked to do what the King's men could not do. Recruits from the shattered ranks of the broken down and worn out perfect as steel.

While Mr. Bryan makes no reference to Kentucky in his philippic against the tariff, he must have had this State in mind when he said: "You can no more legislate than you can legislate." You can in spite of legislation." The Democratic leader should not denigrate in generalizations. When next he arraigns titles of high and low degree he should particularly. As an honest man, it is his duty to point them out as they are. He should not say that he and when he does so some of his devoted admirers in this State will be viewing future runners through broken windows.

